

Congratulations to All Graduates of School and College



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Congregational Club Elects McEwan Head Had Banquet Meeting

"The membership of the Christian Church is faced with the responsibility and the privilege of engaging in every effort to win the war as well as to preserve the individual freedoms in the peace of the world which is to follow," so said the Hon. Horace T. Cahill of Braintree, Lieutenant Governor of the State, at the annual spring meeting of the Congregational Club which was held at the Northfield Hotel on Tuesday evening. Before the dinner a reception was held in the hotel parlors and members and their guests were introduced to the guest of honor. In the absence of Rev. H. B. Morrell the president, George McEwan, vice president, presided and welcomed all in most gracious terms. The dining room with its many lighted candles on the tables presented an inspiring sight and every seat was occupied. The Seminary music trio rendered two selections, which was appreciated by those in attendance, and the vast audience joined in singing "Faith of Our Fathers." After a short business session in which the reports of the secretary and the treasurer were read, the nominating committee presented the names of George McEwan as president, Rev. Gordon Thompson of Greenfield as vice-president, Harry Wentworth also of Greenfield as secretary, and George W. Carr as treasurer for the ensuing year and they were unanimously elected. Mr. McEwan introduced Senator James A. Gunn to introduce the speaker, who in most eloquent terms spoke of the loyalty and devotion which the speaker always displays for the welfare of the citizens of the Commonwealth. "He is my trusted friend and he is your friend," said the genial Senator.

The large audience arose as the lieutenant governor began to speak and his address presented many facts of the situation confronting the state in this war period, of the lessening of receipts and the increase of expenditures. He spoke of the problems of government and urged that everyone join in the opportunities offered to render a real service to the state, especially through the facilities offered by the civilian defense organization.

Local Women To Hear Mrs. Robert Parmenter

Mrs. Robert Parmenter, who is the head of the Women's Division of Civilian Defense of Region 2, will visit Northfield on Monday afternoon (June 8) at 3:30 o'clock and in Alexander hall meet the women of this town and speak to them on important matters such as the A. R. P.; the canteen; Consumers' information; clothing; Evacuation and other items. The meeting, one of a series of many throughout the state, sponsored by the State Committee on Public Safety, is being directed here by Mrs. Frank M. Montague, who is the head of the Women's Division of the Northfield Civilian Defense Committee.

Mrs. Montague hopes that the invitation to attend will be accepted by the women of Northfield and that they will extend the invitation to others, so that the largest possible group of women will be at this important meeting.

Treadway To Run For Congress Again

Allen T. Treadway, our representative in Congress from the First District, announces that he will again be a candidate for re-nomination and election this fall on the Republican ticket. It is expected his nomination papers will soon appear in Northfield, but the town Republican committee as yet do not know anything about them. This far such papers have been received for the re-nomination of James A. Gunn for State Senator and Lawrence Curtis for State Treasurer. The Town Clerk has the papers for the re-nomination of F. W. Cook for State Secretary. Very soon the Republican Town Committee will meet and present these papers in a single sheet for signatures. All nomination papers must be filed with the Town Clerk by July 21. The Republican Town Committee will consider the candidacy of every person, who files for office before making any endorsement.

NORTHFIELD PRESIDENT BECOMES D. D.



Middlebury College Commencement group showing retiring President Paul D. Moody, Mrs. Anne O'Hare McCormick, Commencement speaker, President William Edgar Park of the Northfield Schools, who received the honorary degree of Doctor of Divinity, and the latter's father, Dr. J. Edgar Park, who received an honorary L.L.D. from Middlebury in 1937.

Local Girl Graduates From Wellesley College

Candidate for the Bachelor of Arts degree from East Northfield at the 64th Commencement of Wellesley College is Ruth Viola McEwan. President Mildred H. McAfee will award the diplomas



at the Commencement exercises on Monday, June 15, in Alumnae hall. The principal speaker at the exercises will be Dr. Hu Shih, Chinese Ambassador to the United States. The twenty-fifth reunion of the Class of 1917, of which Madame Chiang Kai-shek is a member, will be of particular significance.

Miss McEwan is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McEwan of East Northfield. She was a member of the Wellesley College Council. Her major subject is history. Before entering Wellesley, Miss McEwan attended the Northfield Seminary and graduated in 1938. She also attended the Northfield public schools.

Severe Electric Storm Hit Saturday Night

With the downpour of rain last Saturday evening came the distant rumbling of thunder, followed by one of the severest electrical storms. High winds prevailed and carried the rain against buildings and homes with beating force. The lightning provided a continuous illumination and Northfield through the Farms to Millers Falls seemed to receive the brunt of the storm, although it was general in the entire district. Some trees went down and limbs were torn off and electrical service was hampered. Lights went out about 11 o'clock and were not restored until early morning. In the section of East Northfield electricity burned out most of the street lamps and it was not until late Sunday night that all replacements were made. It is said that there was some hail at Bernardston, Gill and Leyden, also Millers Falls. There was so much rainfall that roads and gutters were badly washed everywhere and brooks were swollen to carry off the surplus water. Perhaps those who realized the results of the storm were the possessors of flower gardens where many fine blossoms were destroyed. The continued lightning was of the "sheet or wave" variety but the flashes were unusually strong and bright. Cool and cloudy has been the prevailing weather conditions since the storm.

Will Be Dedicated Moody Museum Today

An informal dedication Friday at 3 p. m. will mark the opening of the Moody Museum which was recently added to the Birthplace. Members of the Moody family and President William E. Park of the Northfield Schools will be the principal participants in the ceremony to which students and townspeople will be welcomed.

The Museum, a fire-resisting, one story, vaulted structure, was designed to house safely documentary material and other items closely associated with the life of the founder of the Schools. The Moody family have already contributed many items, some of which will be publicly displayed for the first time, and it is anticipated that additional material will be added by others when the safety and importance of this depository becomes widely known. The Museum will be open to the public daily from three to five p. m. except in the winter months.

Graduates From Smith

Among the senior students of Smith College whose graduation will take place in John M. Green Hall in Northampton on Sunday, June 7, is Miss Susanna Wilder, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Wilder, formerly of Northfield. Miss Wilder graduated from the Northfield High School in 1937 where she was president of her class for two years and salutatorian. After a year at Massachusetts State College she entered Smith and is a candidate for the degree of bachelor of arts on Sunday.

Miss Wilder majored in religion while at Smith and has been president of the Logos Club during her junior and senior years. She has taken part in Inter Faith activities in this vicinity and was for two years a member of the planning committee of the Inter-collegiate Unitarian Conference. She has been senior representative for Martha Wilson House where she resides, a member of the Granddaughters Society of Smith College, and active in the Democratic Club. She recently received a certificate for a defense course in recreational leadership. After commencement Miss Wilder will leave for New Haven, Connecticut, where her parents now reside. She expects to do defense work this summer. Her address will be 80 Howe street, New Haven.

Touch Car Horn Blows

If anybody as much as touches the car of our fellow townsman, Richard L. Watson of Winchester road, wherever he leaves it parked, the horn will give intermittent shrieks and attract attention. He doesn't mean to have anyone molest his automobile to steal either gas or tires and before leaving Florida had installed an automatic balance electric switch. The operation is simple, for when the metal pendulum moves but a trifle, it strikes a circular brass wire and forms a contact. A slight vibration of the car sets off the works. Of course when the car is in use the gadget is turned off by a switch on the dash board. Some clever stunt is the gadget and some clever idea, Mr. Watson.

Miss Emma E. Woodard of North Attleboro has arrived at her cottage in the Highlands to spend the summer.

Commencement Program at the Schools Graduates Receive Diplomas Monday "Iolanthe" Given Saturday Evening

Many Events Crowd A Busy Week-end

Plans for the 1942 Commencement program of The Northfield Schools are rapidly taking form. Two of the largest classes in the history of the schools will be graduated next Monday, when 193 boys from Mount Hermon receive their diplomas and 145 girls of Northfield Seminary join in the Commencement ceremony in the Northfield Auditorium.

The Mount Hermon School program opens Friday evening with motion pictures in Camp Hall at 8:15 for students and their guests. On Saturday afternoon the Class Day Exercises and the awarding of prizes will take place on the lawn of West Hall at 1:45, to be followed by a baseball game with Deerfield Academy at 3:30.

At Northfield Seminary the traditional Alumnae Parade will begin at noon, with the Alumnae Luncheon and annual meeting of the Alumnae Association at 12:30 in the Skinner Gymnasium. During the afternoon alumnae, parents, and friends will be interested in the art exhibit in Home Science Hall between 3:30 and 5 p. m., and the swimming exhibition to be held at the Munger Pool from 3:30 to 4 o'clock.



REV. CARL H. KOPF

Highlight of the Commencement week-end will be the presentation of Gilbert and Sullivan's operetta, "Iolanthe" by the student musical organizations of both schools at 8:15 Saturday evening in the Auditorium.

On Sunday morning Communion will be observed in Sage Chapel on the Seminary campus at 7:30 a. m. The Baccalaureate service will begin at 11:15 with an address by Miss Mira B. Wilson. Dr. David R. Porter will deliver the Baccalaureate address in Mount Hermon Memorial Chapel at 10:30. Faculty receptions

to alumni, seniors and their guests will be held at Miss Wilson's home from 3:30 to 5 Sunday afternoon and on the lawn of Ford Cottage at Mount Hermon from 4 to 6 p. m. The alumnae of Northfield Seminary will hold a brief service on Round Top at 5:15.

There will be an Hour of Music presented by the faculty of the Music Departments of both schools, to be held at 8:30 Sunday evening in Memorial Chapel and at 8 o'clock in Sage Chapel. Following the program at the Seminary there will be a Lantern Service on Chapel Hill at 9:30.

The fifty-sixth Commencement exercises at Mount Hermon will begin at 9:30 a. m. on Monday. Following an organ prelude the Senior Class processional will take place. President William E. Park will give the invocation and Scripture reading. Charles R. Morris of Trenton, N. J., will deliver the Spade Oration preceding the Commencement address by the Rev. Carl H. Kopf of the Mount Vernon Church in Boston. Mr. Kopf has chosen as the title of his address "The Inner Light." Following the address Dr. Porter will present the diplomas to the graduates and the Seniors will bring the program to a close with "A Song of Hermon."



PRESIDENT MILDRED McAFEE

Commencement exercises at Northfield Seminary will begin at 11:45 with the Senior and Faculty processions, followed by the invocation and Scripture reading by Dr. Park. President Mildred H. McAfee of Wellesley College will deliver an address on "Good Sense and Great Ideas." After the Commencement address and the singing of the Class Hymn, Miss Mira B. Wilson will present the certificates and diplomas and the program will close with the traditional prayer and Northfield Benediction.

Mount Hermon Boy Much In Music

Robert Kirk, son of Mrs. Hazel D. Kirk of New Haven, Conn., who was a graduate from Mount Hermon school last year, is now with the accounting department of the Telephone Company in his home city. While a student here he displayed much interest in musical affairs and had considerable talent, so that his ability was recognized. He received a music prize while here. He sang at the schools music concerts and with the Westminster Choir here and was honored as a soloist. Since going home he has kept up his musical interest and is a member of the University Glee Club, of the Telephone Men's Glee Club and also of the Bell Telephone Glee Club of which he is an officer. He has participated with several other musical organizations in concerts and is assisting in a church choir. In several instances he has accompanied these organizations in concerts out of town. His many friends here will be glad to learn of his continued musical career and will wish him every joy and success in the months and years ahead.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert M. Moore of Philadelphia with their daughter Barbara are at their cottage in Mountain Park this week end. They will attend the graduation of her niece, Miss Eleanor Peck, at the Seminary.

Church Vacation School Will Be Held Here In Charge Mr. Dahl

An unusual opportunity for boys and girls of grade school age and under will be provided this year by the Congregational Church in cooperation with the Northfield Summer Conferences. Preliminary plans are announced for a Vacation Church School to be held from June 15th to 26th. The school will be under the direction of Edward G. Dahl, minister of the church, who will be assisted by Mr. Clyde Holt of the Westminster Choir College, Princeton, N. J.

The best in music and musical training will be offered by Mr. Holt, Bible Study will be based this year on the parables of Jesus. Handwork classes in carpentry, sewing and other interesting activities will be a part of the program. A typical morning will include music and music appreciation, Bible study, games and play, handwork, stories, and worship service. Mr. Dahl and Mr. Holt will be assisted by a staff of local leaders.

All boys and girls from the age of four through the eighth grade are urged to join in the work and fun of this school. Sessions will be held each morning, Monday through Friday, from 9 to 11:45. Parents will not want their boys and girls to miss this school.

A shorter morning program will be continued under the direction of Mr. Holt throughout the summer on the Seminary Campus immediately following the close of the Vacation Church School. Watch for further announcement of the school and its leaders next week.

The Unitarian Church

On Sunday next at 10:45 a. m. there will be a service of worship and sermon, topic: "Every American a Witness of the Truth." Rev. Arthur Heeb, minister, Mrs. L. Percy Goodspeed, choir leader and organist. Church School, 9:45, the last regular session of the school before Children's Day, June 14. The topic will be "Helpful Vacation." A cordial welcome to all.

Thursday at 9 a. m. Mr. Heeb will broadcast the morning worship service over radio station WHAL.

Tomorrow, Saturday, at 3 p. m. there will be a children's party at the church. There will be games and dancing and refreshments. The church school teachers and minister will lead. Patrons, Mrs. Dean Williams and Mrs. Vern Ware. All are invited.

This Friday evening, weather conditions permitting, the Northfield Brotherhood will picnic at Shadow Lake on the Mount Hermon campus. After the supper a movie will be shown in Camp Hall.

Women's Town Meeting On Alexander Hall Called For June 13

The Annual Town Meeting of the Women of the Town for the running of Alexander Hall will be held on Saturday, June 13, at 3 p. m.

Alexander Hall is controlled by a committee of nine women, three of whom are elected each year at the annual meeting in June. The three to be retired this year are: Miss Elizabeth Campbell, Mrs. George Thompson, Mrs. Harry Haskell. To be retired in 1943, Mrs. C. I. Holton, Mrs. Ray Thompson, Mrs. Willis Parker.

To be retired in 1944: Mrs. Edgar Livingston, Mrs. Ruth Marston, Mrs. George Sheldon. Mrs. Willis Parker is chairman of the committee, and Mrs. George Sheldon is secretary and treasurer. All women of the town are urged to attend this meeting, to take part in the election of the committee, and to vote on the other business which will be considered.

Congregational Church

Services next Sunday and events of the week are as follows: Sunday morning at 10 o'clock, Sunday School; at 11 o'clock, morning worship with sermon by Mr. Dahl; at 6:30, Christian Endeavor led by Carlton Finch; at 7:30, service at South Vernon Church.

Monday at 7: Boy Scouts meet in vestry; 7:30, Standing Committee meets.

Tuesday: 2, Presbyterian Synod of New England, Worship and Communion service in the church. Dr. Minot C. Morgan, preacher; 7:45, vespers in the church, Dr. Robert E. Speer, speaker: "The Message of the Church for the Present Day."

Thursday, 7:30, prayer meeting, followed by choir rehearsal. On Sunday, June 14th, Children's day will be observed and there will be a baptism of children. On Sunday of the same day the final services of the church will be held for the summer. The Lord's Supper will be observed. Prof. George Dahl of the Yale Divinity school will preach.

Announce Engagement

Major George F. Davis, U. S. Army, Retired, and Mrs. Davis of Fort Slocum, N. Y., announce the engagement of their daughter, Dora Ann, to Lieut. Philip Sheldon Sparrow, Air Corps, U. S. Army. Miss Davis graduated from Northfield Seminary, East Northfield, and attended the University of Alabama. Lieut. Sparrow is the son of Mrs. Winnifred Sparrow of Fall River, and the late Mr. Fred Sparrow. Lieut. Sparrow is a graduate of Mt. Hermon School, and attended Wake Forest College and is now on duty at Greenville, Mississippi.

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TOWN TOPICS

Mrs. Geneva Dawe was elect-
ed Overseer of the Northfield
Grange at its meeting last week.
She will succeed Kenneth Miller
who has resigned. Mrs. A. H.
Farnum was chosen as secretary
to succeed Mrs. Dawe.

The Editor of the Press has re-
ceived (Monday) by express
from San Francisco from Clar-
ence F. Pratt, President of the
National Outdoor Christmas Tree
Association, a baby Giant Red-
wood Sequoia tree, from the Red-
wood Forest of California. The
small tree was grown from seed
and is about a foot tall and one
year old. The tree has already
been planted and is probably the
first and only Redwood tree here.

Last week Friday afternoon the
high school baseball team crossed
bats on the athletic field with New
Salem Academy and won by a
score of 16 to 1. Holton did a
good job as the winning pitcher.

The complete list of officers
elected at the meeting of the
Brotherhood last week were Rev.
H. L. Gale, president; Robert N.
Taylor, vice-president; Hermon
Dickinson, secretary; Lewis
Wood, treasurer; Roy A. Bar-
rows, assistant secretary and
treasurer; E. J. Livingston, audi-
tor; George McEwan, Roger
Greenwood and Mr. Dahl, advi-
sory committee and L. M. Potts,
chairman of the supper.

Mrs. George F. Davis of Fort
Slocum, N. Y., a former resident
of this town, with her daughter
are visiting in town this week
end to attend the graduation of
her niece, Barbara Hunt, from the
Seminary.

Mrs. Ruth Swan, who has been
visiting her mother, Mrs. Mary
Bardwell of Main street, has re-
turned to her home in Boston.

Miss Grace Johnson, daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Johnson
of Parker avenue, who has been
quite ill, is reported as improv-
ing.

Ross L. Spencer, who has been
ill for the past two weeks and at
Brattleboro hospital, is slowly
improving.

Ralph Forsaith, who has been
visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs.
Ralph Forsaith of Birnam road,
has returned to Rutgers College.

Ernest Bolton and Gordon Carr
are at their homes here after
graduating from the Wentworth
Institute in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. Winfred Whitaker
of Main street have as their
guest, her sister, Miss Sadie Jar-
dine of Hartford, Conn.

Final examinations for Mount
Hermon school underclassmen
were held last week.

There was held a well attended
picnic supper and meeting of the
Northfield Garden Club at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin E.
Vorce on Monday evening with
Dan Bodley, the president, presid-
ing. The next meeting will also
be a picnic supper at the home of
Mr. and Mrs. Lazelle on Glen-
wood avenue, the first Monday
evening in July.

West Northfield and South Vernon

Ernest W. Dunklee has been ap-
pointed town chairman for the
Vermont evacuation committee.

The closing exercises of the
Vernon schools were held Wed-
nesday evening in the Vernon
Union Church when the speaker
was Rev. Ellis E. Jones. There
were five boys and eleven girls
promoted from the grammar
grades.

Mrs. Julia S. Ennis has re-
turned to her home here after a
visit of several months at War-
ren, Ohio.

The Soil Tillers 4-H Club will
meet this Friday evening at the
home of Roger Holton.

Services at the South Vernon
Church on Sunday as usual.
Morning worship at 10:30 with
sermon, "A Losers Jubilee" by
Mrs. Florence White. Sunday
school at 11:45; Loyal Workers
will conduct the evening service
at 7:30 with address by Russell
Kimball of Greenfield, President
of C. E. Service at the chapel on
Pond road next Tuesday evening
at 8. Prayer meeting at Vernon
Home on Thursday evening at 7.

The Junior Mission Society
will picnic at E. P. Edson's, Sat-
urday morning leaving LaPlantes
store at 9.

Paul Gibson and Edmond Bras-
sor finished their studies in the
trade course in Greenfield high
school. They are both employed.

Miss Dorothy Wilder of New-
fane is visiting her mother, Mrs.
A. H. Farnum this week.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Dal-
ton visited their daughter and
family in Belmont over last week-
end.

Mrs. Charles Blossom and chil-
dren have returned to their home
in Hinsdale. She has been con-
valescing at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. Philip Holton.

Mrs. George E. Tyler has re-
cently entertained several friends
at her home.

Miss Helen Scherlin, Miss Mar-
jorie Tyler and Miss Elva Mar-
tineau have finished their teach-
ing tasks and will be at their
homes here.

Miss Vera Vaughan visited her
mother at Charlestown, N. H.,
over the last week-end.

Mrs. W. J. Weatherhead, who
spent the winter in Brattleboro
with her daughter, has returned
to open her home here.

Mrs. Jennie Churchill of the
Farms spent last week-end with
her son Winston and family over
last week-end.

Thomas Russell, son of Mr. and
Mrs. Thomas Russell of the Up-
per Farms and Miss Daisy Mar-
guerite Hillock of Leverett were
married in Warwick, Sunday,
May 31 by Rev. Samuel L. Elber-
feld.

Miss Ethel V. Lawrence, who
has spent the winter at her home
in Madison, N. J., is expected
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Measure sugar and corn syrup and prepared fruit into
large kettle, mix well.

Bring to a full rolling boil over hottest fire. Stir con-
stantly before and while boiling. Boil hard 1 minute.

Remove from fire and stir in bottled fruit pectin. Then
stir and skim by turns for just 5 minutes to cool slightly, to
prevent floating fruit. Pour quickly. Paraffin hot jam at
once. Makes about 10 glasses (6 fluid ounces each).

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By Frances Lee Barton

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can apricots; cut in small pieces
and crush thoroughly or grind.
Combine fruits and add juice of 1
medium lemon.

Measure sugar and prepared
fruit into large kettle, mix well,
and bring to a full rolling boil over
hottest fire. Stir constantly before
and while boiling. Boil hard 3
minutes. Remove from fire and
stir in bottled fruit pectin. Skim;
pour quickly. Paraffin hot jam at
once. Makes about 14 glasses (6
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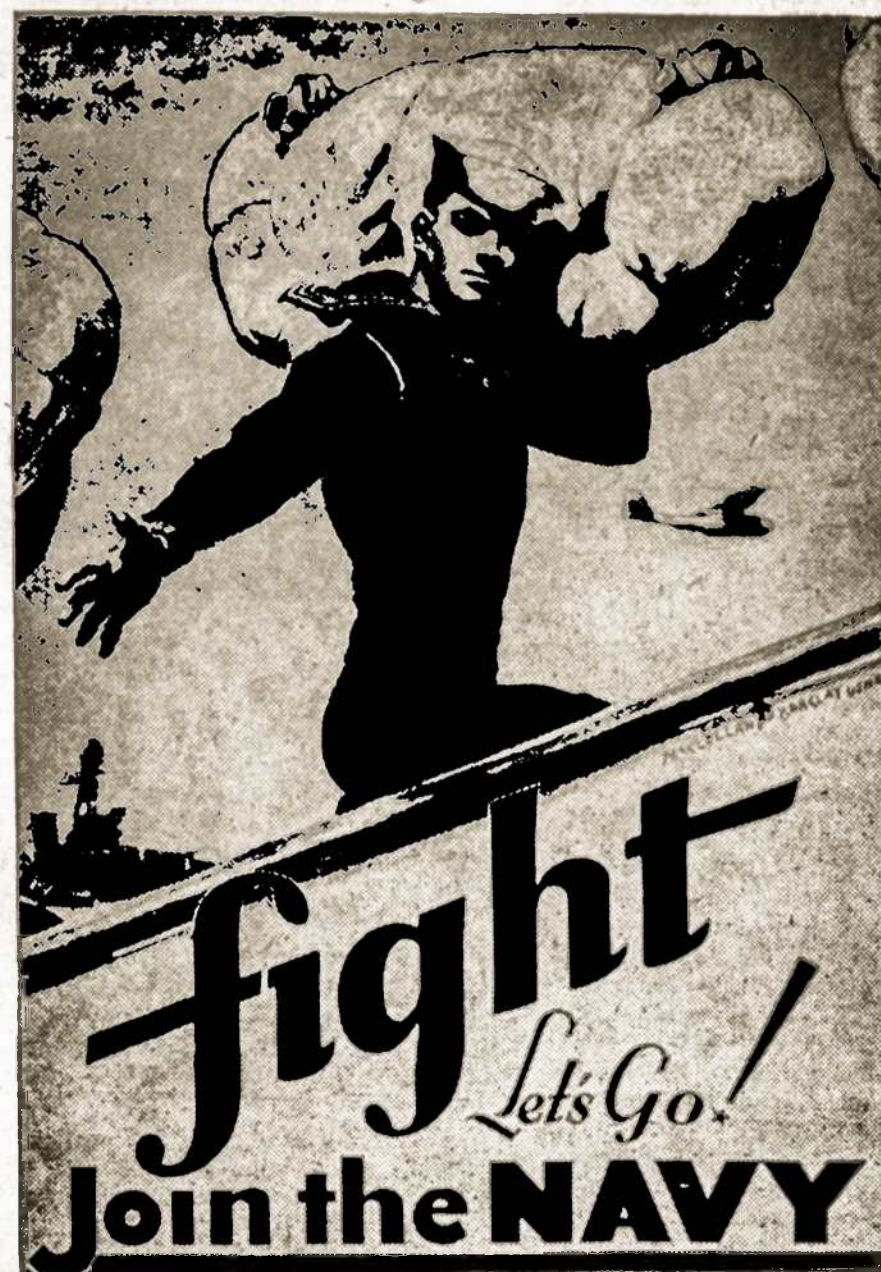
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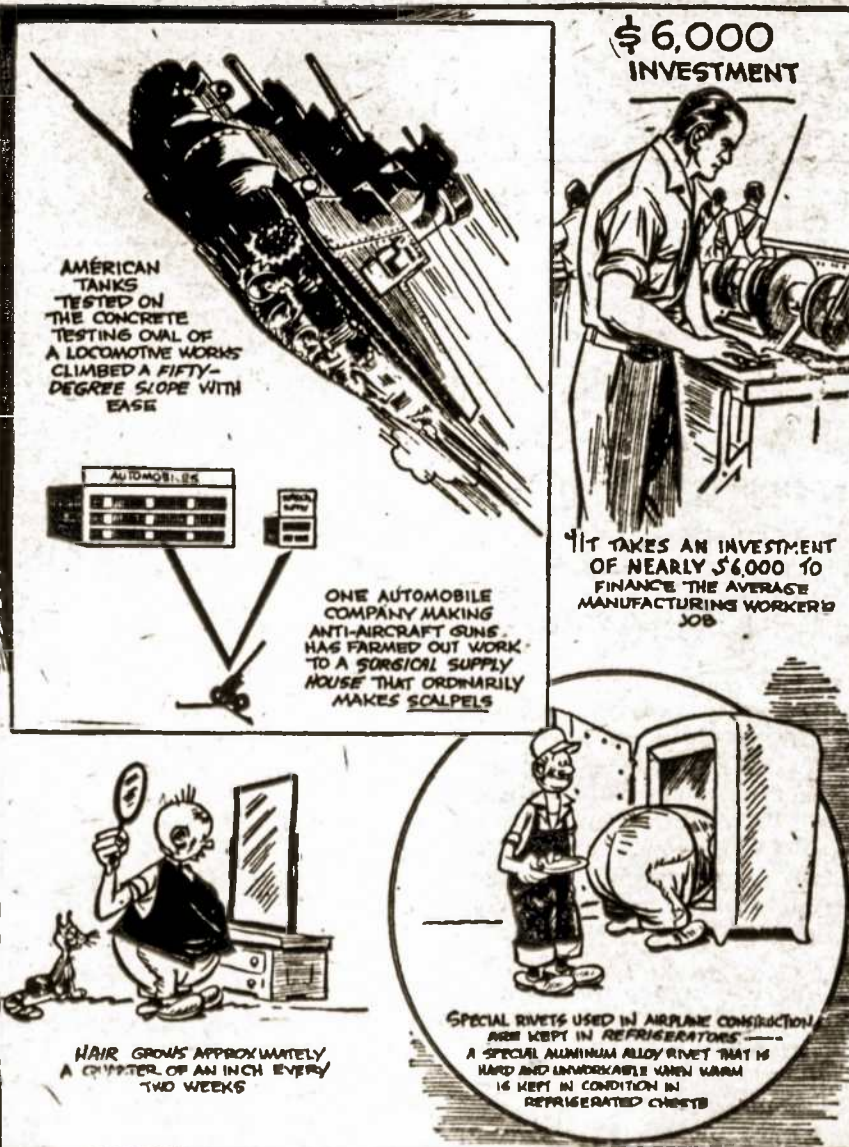
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Ivory Flake or Ivory Snow	lg pkg	22c
Waldorf Toilet Tissue	roll	4c
Blue Wrap Macaroni	1 bb pkg	7c
also Elbows or Spaghetti		
Valley Prime Sweet Peas	can	11c
Ivory Soap or Swan Soap	lg size	10c
Tobacco—Prince Albert	15c size	10c
also Big Ben or Velvet		
Ocean Spray Cranberry Sauce	can	11c
Silverfloss Sourkraut	can	10c
B & M Beans	19 oz pot	15c
Saltines, fresh baked	2 lb pkg	17c
Crackers, Milk Lunch	2 lb pkg	23c
Muenster Fancy Cheese	lb	27c
Pure Egg Noodles	1 lb pkg	13c
Sealect Evap Milk	3 tall cans	24c
Phillips Pork and Beans	4 1-lb cans	25c

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At his home on Highland avenue on Saturday of last week, Dr. Henry Franklin Cutler, for many years Headmaster of Mount Hermon School and now retired, observed his 80th birthday. Ten years ago he went to Europe, with Mrs. Cutler, and began the study of medicine at Paris and at Vienna and won his degree as a Doctor of Medicine some two years ago. Returning to Northfield he prepared for the state medical examinations and recently was granted a license to practice. With Mrs. Cutler he is living quietly at his home here and does considerable reading and study. On his



birthday they held open house and many friends called to offer their greetings, although the event was largely a family affair. Their six children were at home during the holiday weekend and are Conrad Cutler of Cleveland, O.; Hal and John Cutler of Three Oaks, Mich.; Mrs. Christine Bailey of Summit, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seibert of East Orange, N. J., and Mr. and Mrs. George Heiser of Short Hill, N. J. Other guests were Dr. Cutler's sister-in-law, Mrs. Gamaliel Bradford of Wellesley, and a niece, Mrs. Leslie Rickett of New York, and Olive Rickett. A friend, Albert Merriam of New Haven was also a guest. Members of the family presented Dr. Cutler with a complete physician's outfit and an engraved testimonial.

Lady at almond counter: "Who attends to the nuts?"
Wise Guy: "Be patient, madam. I'll wait on you in a minute."

When Company Comes



Here is an unusual and an unusually good dessert, that will appeal to your most fastidious friends.

It is easy to prepare and most of the work may be handled in the morning before your guests arrive. It's economical too. Glance over the list of ingredients and surprise yourself. It calls for only two teaspoons of precious sugar—and no eggs. No baking or boiling is necessary. The dessert is particularly healthful and ideal for a children's gathering. What more could be desired? Attractiveness? Well, it has that too!

Maraschino Rennet-Custard
1 rennet tablet
1 tablespoon cold water
2 cups milk (not canned)
2 teaspoons sugar
1/4 cup maraschino cherry juice
1/2 cup maraschino cherries, coarsely chopped

Drop the chopped cherries into 4 or 5 dessert glasses or custard cups. Crush and dissolve rennet tablet in cold water in a cup. Add maraschino juice and sugar to milk and warm slowly, stirring constantly. Test a drop on inside of wrist frequently. When COMFORTABLY WARM (110° F.) not hot, remove at once from stove. Add dissolved rennet tablet and stir quickly for a few seconds only. Pour at once, while still liquid, into individual dessert glasses. Do not move until firm—about 10 minutes. Chill in refrigerator.

Topping
4-5 maraschino cherries
1/2 cup whipping cream
Melt a cherry three ways from top to almost the bottom and then spread. Top each rennet-custard with a cherry and place swirl of whipped cream in the center of each cherry. Serve.

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TOWN TOPICS

An automobile containing workers from Northfield ran into a fallen pole on the hill road last Saturday evening and were considerably shaken up. Robert Fuller, one of the occupants, is at his home recovering from a number of bruises.

Miss Sarah Ayer and her sister, Miss Charlotte Ayer of Danvers, Conn., are at their cottage in the Highlands for the summer.

Mrs. William H. Giebel of Main street, who has been ill for several weeks, is now at the Franklin County Hospital for observation and treatment.

The Grange will meet next Tuesday evening with a competitive program between married and single folks. Mrs. Gertrude Gibson, Lawrence Ferris and Mrs. Iva Leonard are in charge.

Connecticut Valley Pomona will meet with the Montague Grange next Wednesday evening. Supper will be at 7 o'clock with the business meeting and program, following.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy R. Hatch of Birnam road observed their 45th wedding anniversary on Tuesday.

Walter Sikes of Mount Hermon school has been awarded a \$150 scholarship at Oberlin College.

The Woman's Alliance of the Unitarian Church met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Richard A. Cobb off Parker avenue, and tendered a greeting to Mrs. L. W. Robbins, a member, who with her husband are to leave Northfield for residence in Maine. They presented Mrs. Robbins with a sewing machine cabinet.

Max L. Huber of the East Northfield Postoffice has been named as a second lieutenant of the 34th (Northfield) company of the State Guard commanded by Capt. Harrison Stacy. Mr. Huber is enjoying a brief vacation from his work this week and his place is taken by Brainard Willey on the carrier route.

Miss Eleanor Fuller of Springfield, who is a student at Westbrook Junior College at Portland, Maine, is spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. J. F. Schmadeke on Rustic Ridge. Mrs. Elsie Crowell of New Bedford is spending the summer at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Schmadeke.

Beside State Senator James A. Gunn, Registrar Fred A. Dole and County Commissioner Sam U. Streeter were in attendance at the Congregational Club meeting at the hotel Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Griggs and Mr. and Mrs. Bert E. Newton spent the Memorial day holidays with relatives in Troy, N. Y.

A Bunny You'll Relish



Here is a novel dessert for all, but particularly pleasing to the children. It provides just the right ending to a perfect Easter dinner. Those who dislike milk plain, will delight in obtaining their supply in this delicious manner. The home-made bunnies will appeal as soon as they are placed on the table, and you will probably hear a gleeful, "Oh, look at the little bunny" from the younger members of the household.

The simple directions given below will enable you to prepare this dessert in no time at all. Making the bunnies may require a little more effort than usual, but you will be richly rewarded by favorable comments from everyone.

Surprise "Daddy" and the children this Easter, with a "different" dessert:

Bunny Rennet-Custards
2 cups milk, ordinary or homogenized (not canned)
1 package lemon rennet powder
Finely cut nut meats
Green and red food coloring
Marshmallows
Set out 4 or 5 individual dessert glasses or custard cups. Warm milk slowly, stirring constantly. Test a drop on inside of wrist frequently. When COMFORTABLY WARM (110° F.), not hot, remove at once from heat. Stir contents of package lemon rennet powder into milk briskly until dissolved—not over one minute. Pour at once, while still liquid, into individual dessert glasses or custard cups. Do not move until firm—about 10 minutes. Chill in refrigerator. Tint finely cut nut meats green, by mixing with food coloring diluted with a little cold water; spread finely cut nut meats out to dry. Make bunnies out of marshmallows, setting marshmallows on edge and using scissors dipped in hot water to snip up bits for ears, paws and tail; eyes, nose and whiskers may be painted on with toothpick dipped in red food coloring. When ready to serve, place a nest of green finely cut nut meats on top of each rennet-custard and set a marshmallow bunny in each nest. Serves 4 or 5.

Sybil Severance, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irwin Severance of Birnam road, spent the week-end with her parents. Miss Severance is a student at the New England Deaconess Hospital in Boston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Lee Bolton attended the graduation of their son, Ernest Bolton, at the Wentworth Institute in Boston last Friday. Governor Saltonstall was the Commencement speaker.

Mrs. Matthew Smith of Winchester has returned home after a visit with her daughter, Mrs. Clarence Monrow of Tabor-town, N. Y.

Miss Martha C. Strippel of Kew Gardens, N. Y., expects to open her cottage on the Ridge about June 19 for the summer.

Under the able leadership of Frank E. Dunn of Mount Hermon, the War Savings Committee of Gill have announced that more than \$27,000 has been pledged for the ensuing year.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Fisher of Northfield Mountain observed their 40th wedding anniversary last week with a family party. They were married in Northfield, May 21, 1902, by Rev. George Ryper and Mrs. Fisher was the former Bertha Bosworth of New Salem. They have seven children.

Rev. Philip Phelps, better known to many as "Uncle Phil", and who has spent the winter at Neshanic, N. J., with relatives, has arrived to spend the summer at his cottage "Macatawa" on Rustic Ridge.

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EDITORIAL

NOT ORDINARY DAYS

These are not ordinary days. Business is not being carried on in the ordinary manner. There is little hope for past and present standards of value as we have known them.

But if the people can determine that above all else, after the war is won, they must maintain the right of a man to make his living free of domination by labor, business or government, we will have nothing to fear.

The best hope of this country lies in men and women who are aware of what we must save—not profits, not position, not social security—but the right to work for oneself in the light of freedom. Net earnings may disappear or under the stress of destructive entirely under the stress of war, political agitation. But that loss is minor compared with the loss of the rights of individuals to carry on individual enterprises. There can be no freedom in this country without free enterprise. Outside of winning the war, the biggest thing we have to fight to save is our right to do business as free agents.

Most of us will have less net earnings from now on, but that is of infinitely less importance than perpetuating our right to make earnings, no matter how small, as the result of our individual work and ingenuity.

MORE BIBLES

Requests for Testaments by servicemen to chaplains and clergymen at USO centers has increased nearly 50 per cent in the past few months. The American Bible Society reports that its daily issuance is now 9,000 or 4,000 more than in the early Spring. The clergy is requested to distribute these books only on request.

Both chaplains and local ministers continue to send in so many orders and reorders that, accord-

ing to the Bible Society, the presses are working overtime and books are being shipped the day they are bound. An increase of nearly three-quarters of a million volumes of Scripture in one year is reported by the Society, accredited largely to the demands of the servicemen.

Know Massachusetts by State Planning Board

DO YOU KNOW THAT . . . Boston ranked fifth among the larger cities of the nation in the value of new building permits issued during the first four months of 1942. Its total was \$17,970,104. . . . Two Massachusetts towns had no expenditure last year for public assistance. They were Mt. Washington and Gosnold. . . . "Tax Talk" reports that Massachusetts official estimates point to a loss of five to six million dollars in revenue from gasoline taxes this year compared with 1940 receipts. This, together with other losses, may raise municipal tax rates by \$5 to \$7 next year, except where economies are effected to offset it. . . . Of the 1,060,678 men gainfully employed in Massachusetts in 1940, 26.2 per cent. were operatives, 19.3 craftsmen and foremen; 16.7 per cent. clerical workers and salesmen; 11 proprietors, managers or officials; 8.5 per cent. service workers; 9 per cent. laborers; 5.6 per cent. professional workers, and 1.4 per cent. semi-professional workers. . . . A Massachusetts law passed in 1849, but still enforceable, provides a fine up to \$500 for anyone who "gets up" or promotes a masked ball or other assembly at which the company wear masks or other disguises and to which admission is charged in money. . . . The State Planning Board has just issued an outline of suggested work by which local planning boards can help in the war effort.

Starts a Gift Shop

For the purpose of offering a quantity of desirable articles for sale, for the benefit of War Relief work, Mrs. E. M. Powell will conduct a Gift Shop at her home at Green Pastures this season. Last summer many articles were sold here for British War Relief, and it is quite likely that many other worthy purposes can be assisted in like manner. There will be many inexpensive novelties, handkerchiefs, ties, candles, Russian painted and hand carved boxes, bowls and dolls, British china, toys and paper cutter, as well as other novelties. Chinese linen, etc., will make up a large collection. Be sure to call at Green Pastures and see the offerings.

Fire works for the Fourth of July will be limited to the sale of tiny caps for children's cap pistols this year according to advice from Acting Fire Marshall, Daniel Murphy of Boston.

The Victoria Theatre Greenfield

Friday-Saturday, June 5-6: "Tight Shoes" with John Howard and Brod Crawford, "Texas Marshall" with Tim McCoy. Sunday through Tuesday, June 7-8: "The Lady from Cheyenne" with Loretta Young and Robert Preston, and "Private Snuffy Smith" with Bud Duncan and Sarah Padden.

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Many Receive Awards Among Merit Students At Northfield Seminary

At the last chapel service of the school year, held in Sage Chapel on the Northfield Seminary campus yesterday afternoon (Thursday) prizes were awarded to those girls who have proved outstanding in scholarship and student activities during the year just ended.

The Scott Prizes, established in 1914 by Col. Walter Scott for general improvement in English and Penmanship were awarded to Jo An Gunsolus of Buffalo, N. Y., and Phebe Stacy of South Vernon. The Shaffer Bible Prize for excellence and effort in Senior Bible was awarded to Dorothea Haas of New York.

The Washington-Franklin Certificate, given by the Massachusetts Society of the Sons of the American Revolution, for excellence in United States History was awarded to Virginia S. Guild of Lancaster, Mass.

The Mary E. Barnard Memorial Scholarship, established by the class of 1937 for a period of five years in memory of Mary Barnard, a member of the class who, at the time of her death, was chairman of the Church Cabinet, was awarded to Katharine H. Cochran of Meshed, Iran, Chairman of the Church Cabinet for the year 1942-43. The scholarship is used for the purpose of defraying one girl's expenses at the Northfield Girls' Conference, held each year during the latter part of June.

The Northfield Wellesley Scholarship was presented to Virginia Guild, and the Ellen Russell Worship Prizes, given by Dr. and Mrs. Robert M. Russell of the Russell School in Tucson, Arizona, for the best essays on "Worship", were presented to Madeline Sherman of Charlemont, first prize, and Katherine Ann Birge of Turkey, second prize.

The Hattie E. Zschirpe Memorial Fund prize to a member of the graduating class who exemplifies principles of character, loyalty and humanity, was awarded to Elizabeth A. Kimball of Malden, Mass.

The Mary Eleanor Fry Prize of \$200, established by Mrs. Wilfred W. Fry, wife of the former president of the Schools, is awarded each year to a member of the graduating class who has contributed the influence of a sterling character to the life of the school and who gives promise of a career of genuine usefulness. The award this year was given to Virginia Guild.

The Inter-Dormitory Competitive Scholarship Trophy, awarded to the hall attaining the highest general average scholarship for the school year was presented to Merrill-Keep Hall.

For the first time this year books were presented to three girls who have served as Chime Ringers during the school year. They are Virginia Kerr of Ithaca, Elizabeth Mead of Cambridge, and Lucy Willmott of Chevy Chase, Md.

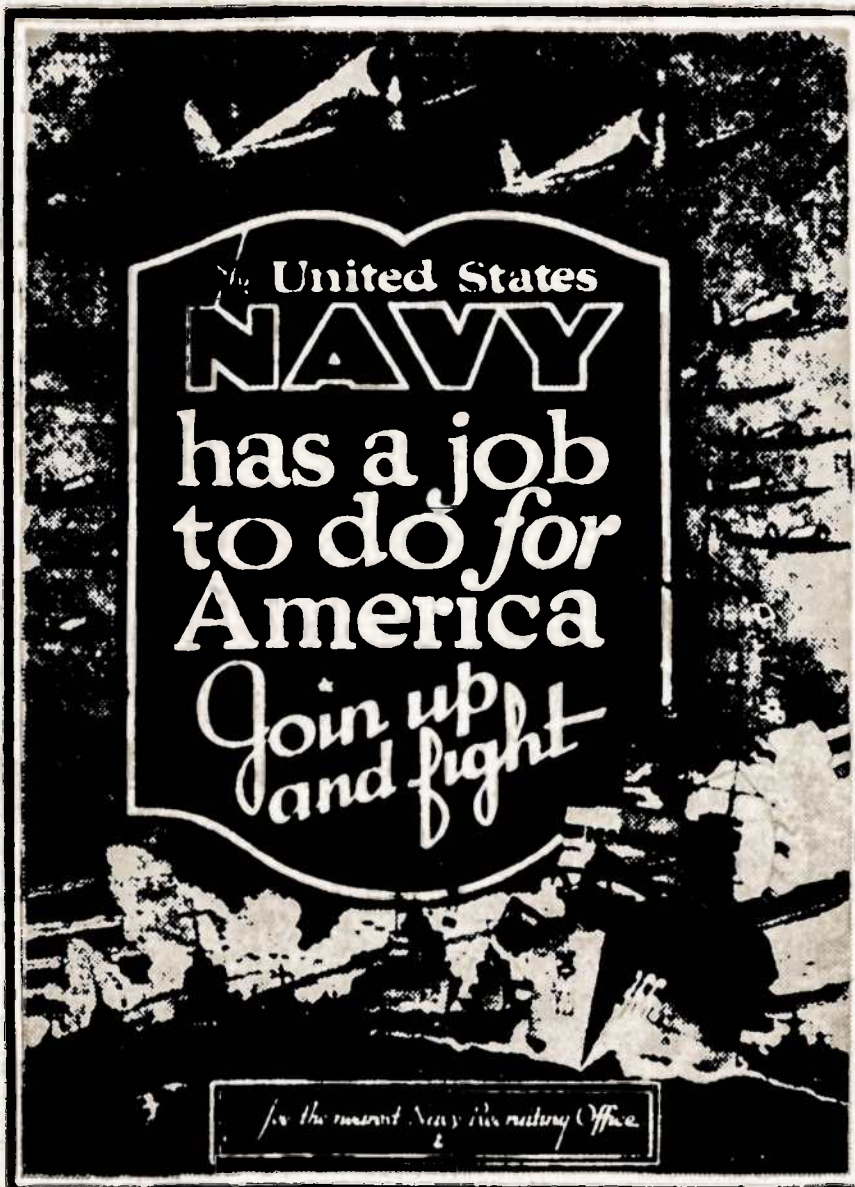
Are Moving Up

Following the completion of the Advance First Aid Course recently held in the Town Hall 17 members of the class are eligible for Advance Certificates. They are: Mrs. Mildred Addison, Gertrude Bolles, Clarice Carpenter, Janina Czajkowski, David Elkinson, Mrs. Geraldine Eldridge, Harold B. Ingalls, Helen D. Low, Helen Mannis, Mrs. Marie Mann, Mrs. Vassia Savcheff, Mrs. Helen M. Stearns, Sophie E. Servaes, Della Solasz, Violet Solasz, Margaret Toth and Helen Wright. The classes were instructed by Gene Cullum, Julia Austin and Hazel Schooley.

That Sturdy Rhubarb

By Frances Lee Barton
LONG before most of our garden greens have really started to grow, the sturdy rhubarb or "pie plant" has produced stalks large enough for sauce or pie. The first rhubarb pie is an "event" in the thousands of homes. Properly made it is a real treat. Try the following recipe this year:

Delicious Rhubarb Pie
1½ tablespoons quick-cooking tapioca; 1½ cups sugar; ¼ teaspoon salt; 1 teaspoon grated orange rind; 1 tablespoon melted butter; 4 cups rhubarb (cut in ½-inch pieces); 1 recipe Pie Crust.
Combine tapioca, sugar, salt, orange rind, butter, and rhubarb; let stand about 15 minutes. Line a 9-inch pie plate with pastry rolled ¼ inch thick, allowing pastry to extend 1 inch beyond edge. Fold edge back to form standing rim. Fill with rhubarb mixture. Moisten edge of pastry with cold water; arrange lattice of pastry strips across top. Flute rim with fingers. Bake in hot oven (450° F.) 15 minutes; then decrease heat to moderate (350° F.) and bake 30 minutes longer, or until filling is cooked.



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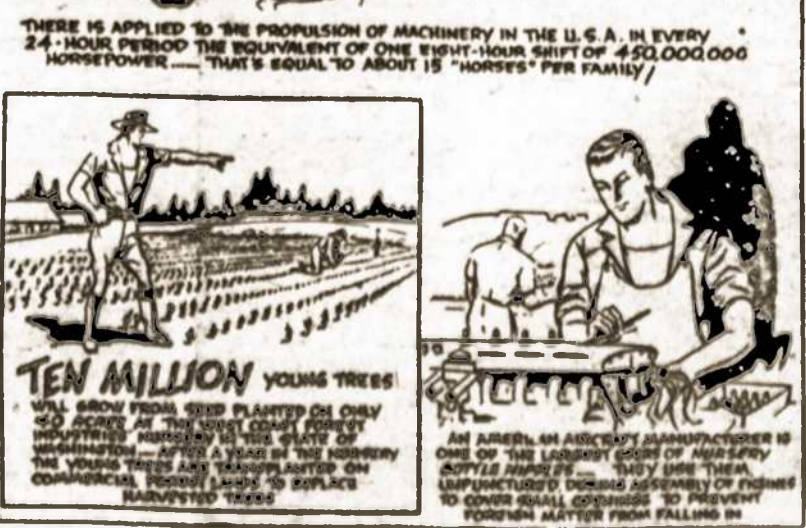
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